Lesson 3 - Closing a negative investigation

In this lesson you'll use the Investigation Summary form to:

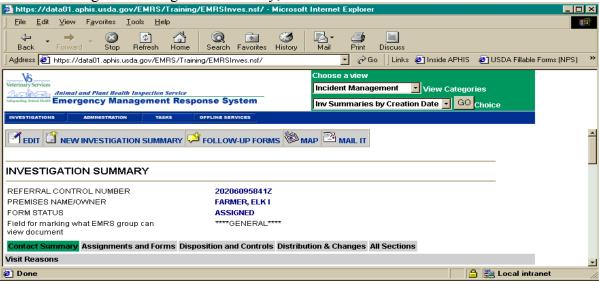
- set the case definition to negative
- * release quarantines if needed
- if needed, keep quarantine open and place the premises in surveillance mode
- set up a control zone if needed
- if no further work is needed, enter a completion date.

Step 1

Retrieve a current Investigation Summary by using the **Choose a View** query feature in the upper right corner. Select **Investigation Summary** from the View Categories drop down box. Select any option from the Choice drop down box.

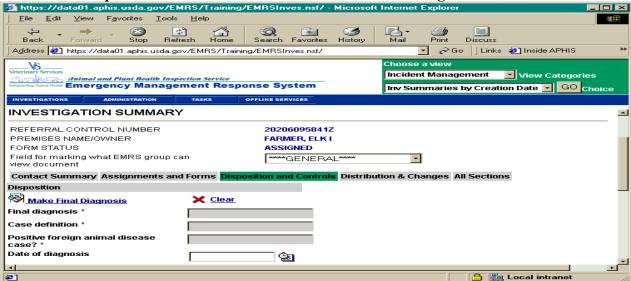
Step 2

After retrieving the Investigation Summary, click on the **EDIT** button as shown below.



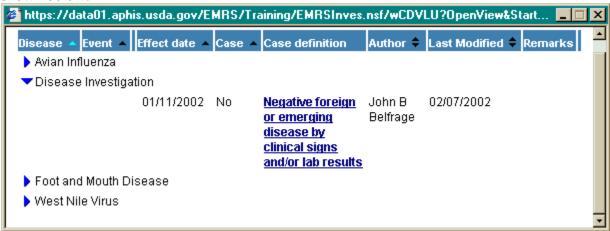
Step 3

Click on the **Disposition and Controls** tab and the **Make Final Diagnosis** icon as shown below.



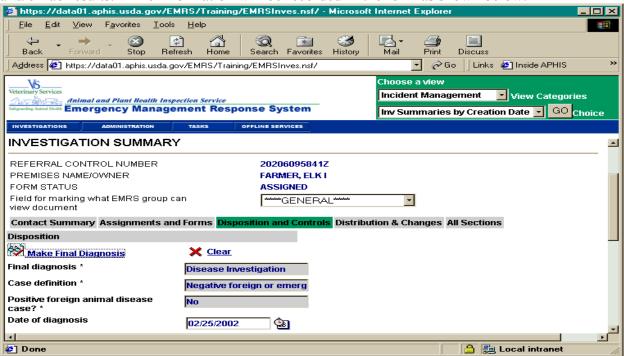
Step 4

Click on the blue triagle on the left side of the **Disease** to show a list of **Case Definition** as shown below.



Step 5

Click on the case definition that reads, "Negative foreign or emerging disease by clinical signs and/or lab results." The information will be recorded in the form as shown below.



Step 6

If the premises had been placed under quarantine, the quarantine might be released or it might be left open to place the premises in surveillance mode. If no further disease control work is needed, enter a **Disease Control Close Date** and press the **SAVE** button. For related information, see *Lesson 5 - Closing a positive premises*. The Disposition & Control section of the Investigation Summary will show that the case is closed as shown below.

